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TO Headquarters
(ATTN: MPD)

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SUBJECT { GENERAL Administration/Personnel
SPECIFIC Request for Information

1. We have been receiving inquiries in regards to the new Social Security Act for the Armed Forces and its effect on the present system of insurance. We know that on the 1st of January 1957, individuals will pay premiums on insurance. However, will the individuals who have SMI retain SMI or will they have an option of reverting to NSLI? Will SMI and NSLI have the same benefits? In other words what are all the changes and benefits of insurance and social security? How are you planning to phase these changes in with personnel in the field? Please advise.

2. Received cable on and called the local testing section. Tests for the 90 career field can not be given until November of this year so will set up testing then.

3. Thank you for the draft form on travel for dependents and dislocation allowance. However, we do not have any supply of DD Form 766. Checked with this command and they do not have any idea when they will get a supply in. We may not need them but could you please send us a small supply of these forms.

4. Received also Forms HC 15 on personnel. These were appreciated by personnel here at . Have not had anybody questioning their pay so guess the pay is squared away for the time being.

5. Some personnel desire to apply for Special Assignments outlined in Manual 35-11 and schools upon completion of this tour. Do you advise submitting these requests now, or wait until completion of tour? Is it possible to get these assignments direct from this unit? Example: Direct from Hq's to technical school.

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